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SUBJECT: DIS INVESTIGATIONS

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1. WE HAVE CONFIRMED THROUGH THE DEFENSE ATTACHE OFFICE, DEPUTY FOR OPERATIONS AND PLANS, INTELLIGENCE BRANCH, SAIGON, THAT DETACHMENT K, BANGKOK, OF THE 500 MI GROUP, HONOLULU HAS THE CAPABILITY AND REQUIREMENT TO PROVIDE SUPPORT TO DAO SAIGON. ELEMENTS OF DETACHMENT K CURRENTLY IN SAIGON CONDUCTING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS FOR DAO. LATTER IS PRIME ORIGINATOR OF DIS CASES RSO NOW RECEIVING. DAO HAS SUGGESTED DIS BE ADVISED OF EXISTING CAPABILITY OF DETACHMENT K AND IN-COUNTRY SUPPORT IN REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM AND THAT FUTURE DIS CASES BE FORWARDED TO 500 MI GROUP RATHER THAN HANDLED THROUGH DEPARTMENT.

2. WE CURRENTLY HAVE 49 DIS CASES PENDING. RSO FLANAGAN DEPARTS POST ON REASSIGNMENT JULY 28; RSO HARRISON ON SMA UNTIL JULY 27; AND RSO MAY WILL BE TDY PHNOM PENH UNTIL ABOUT AUGUST 10. WE ARE REQUESTING DAO TO ASSIGN AGENTS FROM DETACHMENT K TO RSO TO COMPLETE THESE CASES. DAO DESIRES TO ASSIST.

3. WE ASSUME THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS TO OUR EFFORTS TO RELIEVE THIS POST OF UNNECESSARY WORKLOAD AND THAT
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FUTURE CASES WILL NOT BE ASSIGNED SAIGON. WOULD

APPRECIATE YOUR CONCURRENCE AND ADVISING DIS.
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